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WASHBURN, Alan) Group Art Unit: 3671
Serial No.: 10/814,009) Examiner: TORRES, Alicia M.
Filed: 03/31/2004) Confirmation No.: 5559
Title: ARTICULATED MOWER FOR) Customer No.: 23589
MOWING AROUND FENCEPOSTS)
AND OTHER UPRIGHT OBSTRUCTIONS)

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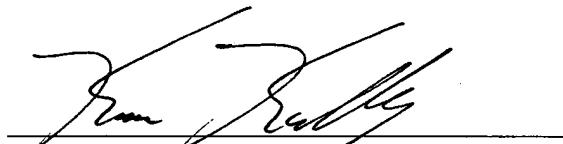
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Invention: ARTICULATED MOWER FOR MOWING AROUND FENCEPOSTS AND OTHER UPRIGHT OBSTRUCTIONS

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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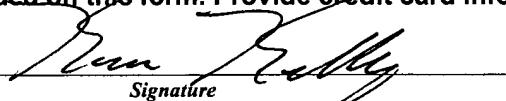
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.